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LAW DEPARTMENT NOTIFICATION

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No.2040-Legis-5/2013/L.—The following Act of the Odisha Legislative Assembly having been assented to by the Governor on the 17th February, 2013 is hereby published for general information.

ODISHA ACT 3 OF 2013

THE ODISHA MUHAMMADAN MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES REGISTRATION (AMENDMENT) ACT, 2012

AN ACT FURTHER TO AMEND THE ODISHA MUHAMMADAN
MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES REGISTRATION ACT, 1949

BE it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Odisha in the
Sixty-third Year of the Republic of India as follows:—

Short title.

1. This Act may be called the Odisha Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration (Amendment) Act, 2012.

Amendment
of section 3.

2. In the Odisha Muhammadan Marriages and Divorces Registration Act, 1949, in section 3, for the existing provisos the following proviso shall be substituted, namely:—

Odisha
Act, 7 of
1949.

“Provided that not more than two persons belonging to ‘Sunni’ sect and not more than two persons belonging to ‘Shia’ sect may be licensed to exercise the said functions within the same limits.”.

By Order of the Governor

S. K. MOHANTY

Principal Secretary to Government, I/c.